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Dear Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment of July 7, 2004, regarding the amendment first filed on April 25, 2003 in response to Office Action dated January 7, 2003.

In accordance with the Examiner's request, Applicants submit herewith a corrected version of the non-compliant section of the amendment document. Specifically, the entire "Amendments to the Claims" section is attached hereto. This section has been revised to comply with 37 CFR §1.121(c) by providing a complete listing of all the claims.

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